

# 2014 Annual Report



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## Missouri Film Commission Members

### Public Members:

**Public Position Vacant**

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**Shawn McClaren**

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**James Palumbo**

St. Louis

**Cindy Sheltmire**

Columbia

**Public Position Vacant**



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Missouri State Senator, District 19

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**Senate Position Vacant**

**Representative Denny Hoskins (R)**

Missouri House of Representatives, District 121

Warrensburg

**Representative Stacey Newman (D)**

Missouri State Representative, District 73

St. Louis

## History

The Missouri Film Commission was established in 1983 as a working office within the Division of Tourism, Department of Economic Development. The Commission was created to attract film, television, video and cable productions to Missouri and to promote the growth of the film and video production industry within Missouri. In 1998, an appointed statewide Film Commission Board was established by statute 620.1200, to advise the Director of the Department of Economic Development on the promotion and development of film production and facilities. According to the statute: "The commission shall provide oversight and guidance to the Director of Economic Development in administering the Office of the Missouri Film Commission."

## Missouri Film Office

The FY2015 General Assembly re-allocated \$100,000 from the Missouri Division of Tourism (MDT) general revenue transfer earmarked for film office activity. The Missouri Film Office has one full-time staff member, Andrea Sporcic.

The Missouri Film Office works to develop, coordinate and market the film industry and film-related activities in Missouri. The Missouri Film Office serves as the official central point of contact for all statewide inquiries: film, TV shows/segments, commercials, web content and digital media.

The Missouri Film Office maintains and markets a large photo database of diverse locations across the state and a database of skilled workers, special equipment operators and support service companies.

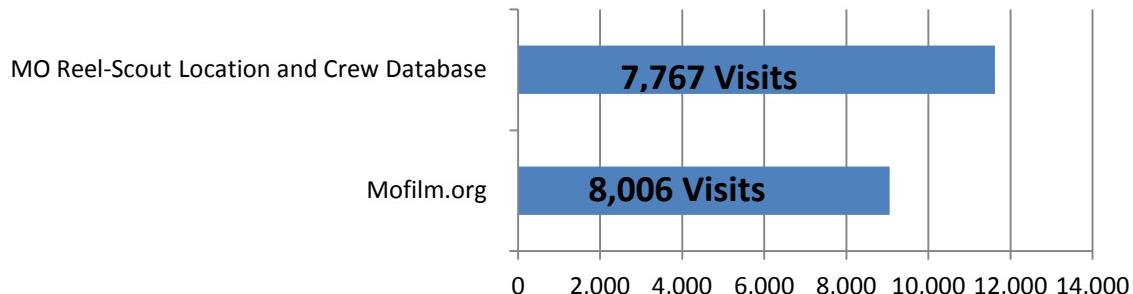
## Film Production Tax Incentive Activity

**The Film Production Tax Credit program sunset  
as of November 28, 2013, according to Missouri Statute 135.750.**

## Film Office Activity 2014

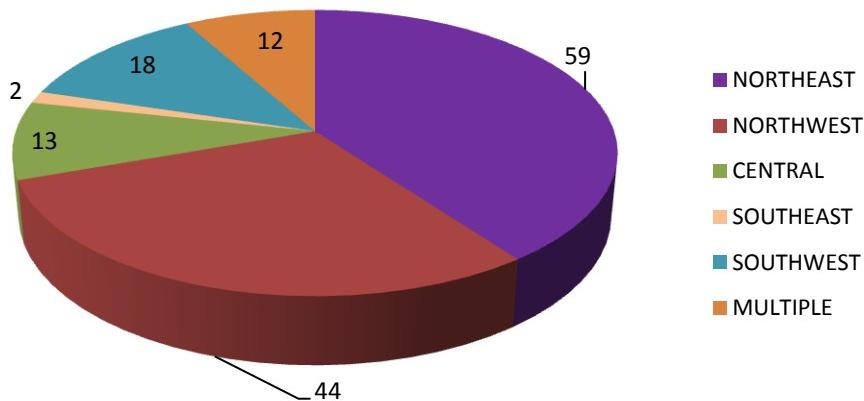
Industry Overview – Film/Motion Media Industry in Missouri data provided by MERIC

	Employment	Labor Income	Gross Domestic Product
Total Impact	14,171	\$1,085,685,262	\$1,483,993,637



In FY 2014, the Film Office provided assistance for 142 projects, including TV series and segments, commercials, films and web-based production. See listing below.

### # of FY14 Productions Across the State by Region



Following is a list of notable FY14 productions in the state:

### July

German film crew shoot	Documentary	Various
Extreme Weight Loss	TV show	St. Louis
The Voice	TV show	St. Louis
Ghost Adventures	TV show	St. Louis
The Biggest Loser	TV show	St. Louis
Let's Ask America	TV show	Kansas City
America's Got Talent	TV show	Kansas City

## July Cont.

The History Channel	TV segments	Kansas City
NFL Film	TV segments	St. Louis
CNN	TV segments	St. Louis
Enterprise-Rent-A-Car	Commercial	St. Louis
Animal Planet	TV shows	St. Joseph
Independent feature film	Feature film	St. Louis
The Missouri Lottery	Commercial	Kansas City
Blue Cross	Commercial	Kansas City
Sprint	Commercial	Kansas City
Phillips Healthcare	Commercial	Springfield

## August

House of Cards	TV show	St. Louis
FilmFest 4-H	Festival	Branson
UK Production Company	TV segments	Kansas City
Antiques Road Show	TV show	Kansas City
Documentary project	Documentary	Kansas City
Comic Geeks	Web series	St. Louis
Miracle Hills Ranch	Commercial	Springfield
American Pickers	TV show	Jefferson City, Boonville
Ford	Commercial	Kansas City
Bar Rescue	TV show	Kansas City
ESPN	TV show	Kansas City

## September

Mercury Labs	Commercial	St. Louis
Boxcar Films	PSA	Columbia
Room 105	Feature film	Hollister, Branson
Gone Girl	Feature film	Cape Girardeau
Cinema KC	TV series	Kansas City
Working Class Whitetails	TV series	Northwest Missouri
My Partner's Mother	Feature film	St. Louis
Spectrum Studios	Scouting	Columbia

## October

Steam Punk and Shadows	Web series	Columbia
Counter Parts	Short film	Kansas City
Shark Tank	TV show	St. Louis
Ghost Adventures	TV show	St. Louis
The Voice	TV show	St. Louis
Citizen Jane Film Festival	Festival	Columbia

## November

Chicago Production Company	Commercial	St. Louis
The History Channel	TV show	Kansas City
Jackson Appleton and Bass Pro	Commercial	Springfield
The Cooking Channel	TV segments	Kansas City
Texan Reality Production Company	TV show	St. Louis
The Food Network	TV segments	Kansas City
Bar Rescue	TV show	Kansas City
Thrift Store Divas	TV show	St. Louis
Salvage City	TV show	St. Louis
Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives	TV show	Kansas City
MU Online	Commercial	Columbia
HCA Hospital	Commercial	Kansas City
Fireball Run	Scouting	Columbia, Independence
Intrust Bank	Commercial	Kansas City
VML	Commercial	Kansas City

## December

Documentary production	Documentary	St. Louis
Merial	Commercial	Kansas City
Jeopardy	TV show	Kansas City
The Truth about Crime	PSA	St. Louis
Once Films	Commercial	St. Louis
Farewell	Short film	St. Louis

## January

Drifter: Broken Road	Web series	Springfield
Lifetime Television	TV show	St. Louis
SWP Productions	Commercial	St. Louis
Indie horror/thriller	Feature film	Memphis/Hannibal
Tremendous Entertainment	TV show	Ironton/Farmington
Salvage City	TV show	St. Louis
Commercial documentary	Documentary	Kansas City
Executive Airshare	Commercial	Kansas City

## February

St. Francis Health Center	Commercial	Kansas City
Mazuma Credit Union	Commercial	Kansas City
Banfield Pet Clinics	Commercial	Kansas City
Hollywood Casino	Commercial	St. Louis
48 Hour Film Competition	Film Competition	St. Joseph
Under the Gunn	TV show	St. Louis
Lifetime	Docu-series	St. Louis
Survivor	TV show	St. Louis
Siemen's	Commercial	St. Louis
Political commercials	Commercial	Springfield
The Battle of Island Mound	Short film	Springfield
True/False Film Festival	Festival	Columbia

## March

UK Film Crew shoot	Documentary	Various
Mississippi Grind	Feature film	Various
Rustic Lantern Films	Scouting	St. Louis
PSG Film	Series	Branson
Swiss production company	TV segments	Hannibal
Lifetime series	TV show	St. Louis
MTV	TV segments	Jefferson City
Enterprise	Commercial	St. Louis
Honey Bunches of Oats	Commercial	St. Louis
McDonald's	Commercial	St. Louis
Price Chopper	Commercial	Kansas City
AMC Theaters	Commercial	Kansas City
Sprint	Commercial	Kansas City
Hallmark	Commercial	Kansas City
Kikim Media	Commercial	St. Louis
ESPN SEC	Commercial	Columbia
Locations Trade show	Tradeshow	Los Angeles
TLC's Sister Wives	TV show	Springfield

## April

American Ninja Warrior	TV show	St. Louis
ADDicted	Feature film	Columbia
Kansas City Film Festival	Festival	Kansas City
St. Louis Hospital	Commercial	St. Louis
New Media Narrative Project	New Media Project	Columbia, Guthrie
Travel Channel	TV segments	St. Louis
NBC Sports	TV segments	Kansas City
Sirens Media	Commercial	St. Louis
Stephens College Short Films	Short film	Various
Brand USA	Web series	Various
Sherwin Williams/Dutch Boy/Menards	Commercial	Various
PSA for the State of Missouri	PSA	Kansas City

## May

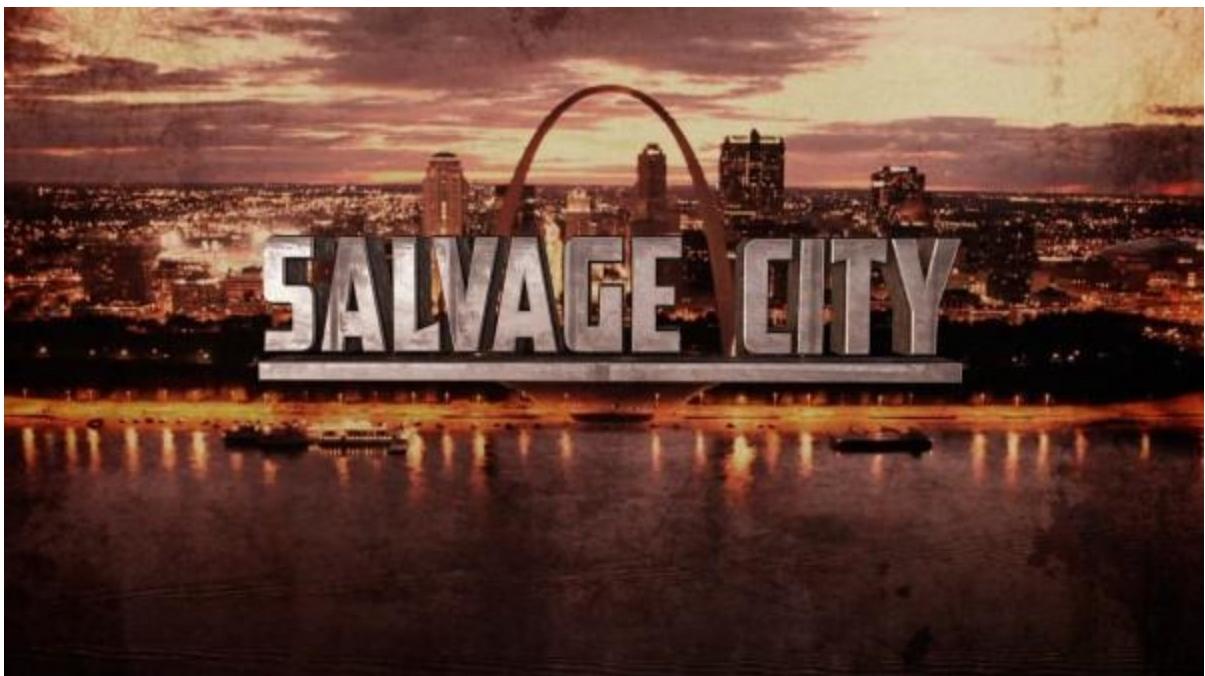
C-SPAN	TV segments	St. Louis
Walmart	Commercial	Southern Missouri
HGTV	TV show	Innsbrook
Discovery Channel	TV segments	Kansas City
Travel Channel	TV show	St. Louis
Ghost Hunters	TV show	Various
Raw TV London	TV segments	St. Louis
ABC's Wife Swap	TV show	Branson
Comedy Central	TV show	St. Louis
LinkedIn	Commercial	Kansas City
Garmin	Commercial	St. Louis
Food Network	TV segments	St. Louis

## May Cont.

Political commercials	Commercial	Kansas City
Ghost Adventures	TV show	St. Louis
Monsanto	Commercial	Various
Center for Education	PSA	Cape Girardeau
Extreme Weight Loss	TV show	St. Louis
48 Film Competition	Film Competition	St. Louis

## June

PBS	TV segments	St. Louis
Pilgrim Studios	TV segments	Joplin/Carthage
The Champions	Documentary	St. Louis
High Noon Entertainment	TV series	Branson
The Nameless	Feature film	St. Louis
National Geographic	TV segments	Utica/Chillicothe
Marshall the Miracle Dog	Feature film	St. Louis
Ball Up Shot	TV show	St. Louis
Reece & Nichols and United Way	Commercial	Kansas City
Indie horror film	Feature film	Columbia
The Bachelor	TV show	St. Louis
Everything	Short film	Nixa
Junk Store	Feature film	Springfield



Discovery Channel series from Coolfire Studios in St. Louis

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Photo from *The Battle of Island Mound* filmed at Prairie State Park

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